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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 7, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-269

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Tuesday, Sept. 2 (due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Sept. 5. Deliveries are to be made from Oct. 16 to Oct. 31.

**All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.**

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-269, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products and Smoked Turkey Ham dated May 2003, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-269, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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Consumer Pack (233260) - Consumer packaged, frozen young turkeys without necks and giblets, basting optional. Turkeys must weigh not less than 12 pounds (5.44 kg) and not more than 22 pounds (9.98 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. Turkeys must be packed with not more than four turkeys weighing up to 14 pounds (6.35 kg) per container or not more than two turkeys weighing over 14 pounds (6.35 kg) per container. The difference between individual carcass weights per container must be no more than 2 pounds (0.91 kg). The 2-pound (0.91 kg) increments must be: 12-14, 14-16, 16-18, 18-20, or 20-22 pounds. (Metric equivalency of increments: 5.44-6.35, 6.35-7.26, 7.26-8.16, 8.16-9.07, and 9.07-9.98 kg.) A purchase unit will total 38,000 pounds (17,237 kg).

Bulk Pack (233390) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, nonbasted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds (8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated May 2003. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Smoked Turkey Ham (234040) - Frozen smoked turkey hams produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook turkey thigh meat. Hams must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and not more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg), be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four hams per fiberboard shipping container. As an option, formulated batches may be stuffed into cook-in-film bags. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY269  
INVITATION : 007  
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 32 TURKEY, WHOLE, FROZEN  
PACK SIZE : 60 30-60 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/03 - 10/31/03

001	COLLEGE PARK	GA		28,120
	COLUMBUS	GA		9,880
002	EAST BERNSTADT	KY	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
003	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	28,980
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	9,020
004	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	38,000
005	EAST BERNSTADT	KY	TRUCK ONLY	18,960
	MARTIN	TN	TRUCK ONLY	9,520
	OWENSBORO	KY	TRUCK ONLY	9,520
006	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		38,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 228,000

COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK  
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/03 - 10/31/03

007	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	144,000	<b>*NO TOLERANCE (See note.)</b>
008	WATERTOWN	SD	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	
009	RAEFORD	NC	TRUCK ONLY	288,000	
010	WAELDER	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,000	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 504,000

**\*NOTE - NO TOLERANCE WILL BE ALLOWED FOR PURCHASE UNITS UNDER THESE  
ITEM NUMBERS. PURCHASE UNITS WEIGHING LESS THAN 36,000 POUNDS WILL  
BE REJECTED.**

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY269  
INVITATION : 007  
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN  
PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/03 - 10/31/03

011	ASHLAND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	21,694
	SUFFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	18,306
012	CHARLESTON	WV		40,000
013	MIAMI	FL		40,000
014	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		40,000
015	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		28,000
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		12,000
016	ORMOND BEACH	FL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
017	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000
018	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	LAWRENCEVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
019	CHATTANOOGA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	15,680
	COOKEVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	24,320
020	COLUMBUS	OH		80,000
021	DAYTON	OH		80,000
022	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
023	BATON ROUGE	LA		20,000
	HARAHAN	LA		20,000
024	ALBUQUERQUE	NM		80,000
025	MCALESTER	OK		40,000
026	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	13,334
	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	13,333
	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	13,333
027	MASON CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	SIOUX CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
028	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
029	LINCOLN	NE		40,000
030	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
031	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
032	LOS ANGELES/FAS (HAWAII)	CA	FAS	40,000
033	MODESTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
034	MERCED	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	STOCKTON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
035	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,120,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY269  
INVITATION : 007  
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN  
COMM TYPE : 40 TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ  
PACK SIZE : 40 40-LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/03 - 10/31/03

036	ALBANY	GA	TRUCK ONLY	24,000
	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
037	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
038	FAYETTEVILLE	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
039	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
040	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	16,000
	SUMTER	SC	TRUCK ONLY	24,000
041	NEWPORT	MN		40,000
042	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
043	MCALESTER	OK		40,000
044	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
045	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 520,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 2,372,000

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Contracting Officer

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